

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

What is claimed is:

1. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

computing the number of interactive links associated with a frame of a live video presentation;

~~while displaying the frame of the live video presentation,~~ automatically storing for later use the frame of ~~a~~ the live video presentation when the number of interactive links associated with the frame of ~~a~~ the live video presentation is greater than ~~the~~ a number of interactive links which can be reviewed and assessed by a user in real-time;

~~displaying the automatically stored frame of a live video presentation;~~

maintaining the display of the automatically stored frame of ~~a~~ the live video presentation, the automatically stored frame having associated therewith at least one interactive link; and

maintaining access to the at least one interactive link associated with the automatically stored frame such that a user may review and access the at least one interactive link.

2. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein displaying the automatically stored frame of ~~a~~ the live video presentation, maintaining the display of the automatically stored frame and maintaining access to the at least one interactive link are done in response to a user action.

3. (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein the user action is depressing an activation button on a control device.

4. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 3 further comprising:

depressing a deactivation button to stop displaying the automatically stored frame of ~~a~~ the live video presentation and return to the live video presentation.

5. (Cancelled)

6. (Cancelled)

7. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

computing the number of interactive links associated with a frame of a live video presentation;

determining that the number of interactive links associated with the frame of the live video presentation is greater than a number of interactive links which can be reviewed and accessed by a user in real-time and:

_____ automatically interrupting a frame buffer ~~when the number of interactive links associate with the frame of a live video presentation is greater than the number of interactive links which can be reviewed and accessed by a user in real time such that a~~ the live video presentation is interrupted and a display of the frame of the live video presentation is maintained, the frame having associated therewith at least one interactive link; and

_____ automatically interrupting an interactive link stream ~~when the number of interactive links associated with the frame of a live video presentation is greater than the number of interactive links which can be reviewed and accessed to by a user in real time~~ such that access to the at least one interactive link associated with the frame is maintained.

8. (Cancelled)

9. (Cancelled)

10. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 7 further comprising:

depressing a deactivation button to stop displaying the frame of the live video presentation and return to the live video presentation.

11. (Original) The method of claim 7, wherein the frame and the at least one interactive link are stored for later use such that access to the at least one interactive link is maintained.

12. (Currently Amended) ~~A machine~~One or more computer-readable medium-media containing instructions ~~which that~~, when executed by a processor, cause the processor to perform a method, the method comprising:

computing the number of interactive links associated with a frame of a live video presentation;

~~while displaying the frame of the live video presentation,~~ automatically storing for later use ~~a the~~ frame of ~~a the~~ live video presentation when the number of interactive links associated with the frame of ~~a the~~ live video presentation is greater than ~~the a~~ number of interactive links which can be reviewed and assessed by a user in real-time;

~~displaying the automatically stored frame of a live video presentation;~~

maintaining the display of the automatically stored frame of ~~a the~~ live video presentation, the automatically stored frame having associated therewith at least one interactive link; and

maintaining access to the at least one interactive link associated with the automatically stored frame such that a user may review and access the at least one interactive link.

13. (Currently Amended) ~~The machine~~one or more computer-readable medium-media of claim 12, wherein displaying the automatically stored frame of ~~a the~~ live video presentation, maintaining the display of the automatically stored frame and maintaining access to the at least one interactive link are done in response to a user action.

14. (Currently Amended) ~~The machine~~one or more computer-readable medium-media of claim 13, wherein the user action is depressing an activation button on a control device.

15. (~~Previously Presented~~Currently Amended) ~~The machine~~one or more computer-readable medium-media of claim 14 further comprising:

depressing a deactivation button to stop displaying the automatically stored frame of a live video presentation and return to the live video presentation.

16. (Cancelled)

17. (Currently Amended) ~~A~~One or more machine computer-readable medium-media
~~containing storing instructions which that,~~ when executed by a processor, cause the
processor to perform a method, the method comprising:

computing the number of interactive links associated with a frame of a live video
presentation;

determining that the number of interactive links associated with the frame of the
live video presentation is greater than a number of interactive links which can be reviewed
and accessed by a user in real-time and:

~~_____ automatically interrupting a frame buffer when the number of interactive
links associate with the frame of a live video presentation is greater than the number of
interactive links which can be reviewed and accessed by a user in real-time such that a live
video presentation is interrupted and a display of the frame of the live video presentation is
maintained, the frame having associated therewith at least one interactive link; and~~

~~_____ automatically interrupting an interactive link stream when the number of
interactive links associated with the frame of a live video presentation is greater than the
number of interactive links which can be reviewed and accessed to by a user in real-time
such that access to the at least one interactive link associated with the frame is maintained.~~

18. (Currently Amended) ~~The machine~~one or more computer-readable medium-media
of claim 17, wherein the automatically interrupted frame and the at least one interactive
link are stored for later use such that access to the at least one interactive link is
maintained.

19. (Currently Amended) An apparatus comprising:

a processor having a memory coupled thereto, the memory having stored thereon
executable instructions which, when executed by the processor, cause the processor to
compute the number of interactive links associated with a frame of a live video
presentation, while displaying the frame of the live video presentation automatically store

for later use a frame of the live video presentation when the number of interactive links associated with the frame of the live video presentation is greater than ~~the a~~ number of interactive links which can be reviewed and accessed by a user in real-time, display the automatically stored frame of ~~a~~the live video presentation, maintain the display of the automatically stored frame of ~~a~~the live video presentation, the automatically stored frame having associated therewith at least one interactive link, and maintain access to the at least one interactive link associated with the automatically stored frame such that a user may review and access the at least one interactive link.

20. (Original) The apparatus of claim 19, further comprising;

a control device, the control device having an activation mechanism to initiate execution of the executable instructions.

21. (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 20, wherein the control device has a deactivation mechanism to stop displaying the automatically stored frame of ~~a~~the live video presentation and return to the live video presentation.

22. (Cancelled)

23. (Currently Amended) A system comprising:

a video presentation device, the video presentation device capable of displaying a live video presentation; and

a control device to compute the number of interactive links associated with a frame of ~~a~~the live video presentation, while displaying the frame of the live video presentation on the video presentation device automatically store for later use the frame of ~~a~~the live video presentation when the number of interactive links associated with the frame of ~~a~~the live video presentation is greater than ~~the a~~ number of interactive links which can be reviewed and accessed by a user in real-time, display the automatically stored frame of ~~a~~the live video presentation, maintain the display of the automatically stored frame of the live video presentation, the automatically stored frame having associated therewith at least one interactive link, and maintain access to the at least one interactive link associated with the

automatically stored frame such that a user may review and access the at least one interactive link.

24. (Cancelled)

25. (Cancelled)